

CAMP HOME OF WOMEN IN WAR WORK OPENED

Community Service Provides Outdoor Abode Near Capital.

"Camp Columbia," the summer camp of the War Camp Community Service, for women government employees, was officially opened last evening, with an enthusiastic and happy group of women, many of whom were to sleep out of doors for the first time.

Four companies of volunteer recruits to a season of camp life, with just enough of military routine to whip them into something of the good physical form, assembled on the parade ground for the ceremony of lowering the flag. The companies have not yet their full quota.

"Camp Columbia" has in its military organization a commandant, Susan H. Moore, an inspector, Grace Bulman, and Maj. Elaine English, of the N. S. S. girls are volunteer helpers for the War Camp Community Service, and are the acting captains and adjutants of each company.

The captain for Company A is Katherine Forbes, for Company B Lucille Jones, for Company C Miss Moore, and Company D Florence Stocker. Dr. Evelyn Mitchell is the camp physician.

Fellowship Spirit.

Supper followed the first military discipline, and Marjorie Day, of the W. C. S., was the guiding spirit in the fellowship that the first meal in the mess hall began to create. The camp "yell" was introduced and went with a will.

Exploring the wood paths and finding the lovely water scene along the canal was the next part of the program, with its hours of relaxation. An entertainment in Dewey Hall concluded the evening.

Against the trumpet, C. D. Crockett, of the U. S. Marines, who gave his "sea-going" bugling, brought the camp together for an hour of music, community singing, and among other things a talk by the camp physician.

"Camp Columbia" was receiving applications for admission throughout the evening. The camp charge is \$5 for four weeks, and that includes many camp privileges, athletic, social, educational. There is an attractive field here for the entertainer. The girls promised to be as appreciative as the audience at the Soldiers' and Sailors' camp, and on Sundays until 9:30 p. m. Taps is sounded at 10 o'clock.

SOLDIERS WILL HEAR Y. M. C. A. SPEAKERS

Capital Organization Has Out-of-Town Staff.

At American University Camp, now known as Camp Leach, Rev. Dr. John Allen Blair, of Philadelphia, will speak this evening, and Newton W. Preston, of Washington, at the evening service at the Soldiers' and Sailors' camp at Washington Barracks. Rev. Julius W. Walker, recently named as a Lutheran chaplain, will address the men in the morning, and J. H. Boal will speak in the evening.

Rev. Hugh L. Hodge, of Pittsburgh, will sing, at the evening services at Fort Myer. Miss Shaw will be accompanied by Mrs. Craig Jones.

Chaplain Thomas B. Thompson will be the speaker in the evening at Quantico, and one week from today Quantico will hear A. J. Drexel Hilde, of Philadelphia, who is just back from France.

There will be three evening services at Camp Humphreys. The Bishop of Cuba will speak at an open air service for Catholics, H. B. Williams, of the Y. M. C. A., will speak in Tent C, and R. W. Sherrill, of the Y. M. C. A., in Tent B.

F. W. Heffer will be the speaker at Decatur, and Rev. Dr. Paul H. Hickok will be at Acotling.

J. N. Vollenweide, physical director for the Y. M. C. A. at Camp Meigs, will be the evening speaker there.

Hans Use Smoke-Making Devices.

To prevent enemy observation of troop movement and other activities of military importance, smoke screens are being widely used in the fighting along the Western front. To produce these the Germans are employing three devices that are much alike in type but different in size. They are known as the smoke drum, the smoke box, and the smoke pot. The latter, which is illustrated in the Popular Mechanics Magazine, is the favored apparatus, is cylindrical, about three feet high, a trifle more than a foot in diameter, and weighs about 150 pounds. It is supplied with carrying handles and an operating crank.

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452 D. C. Men Enter Army; Will Train in Mechanics

Entrainment of 452 newly-made soldiers was effected yesterday morning at Union Station, when 190 young white men went to Takoma Park, D. C., for special training in electricity, and 260 negro registrants left for Greensboro, N. C., where they will receive special training at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of that place.

Maj. Daniel J. Donovan, director of the draft, had charge of both entrainments, having inducted the two groups into service on the previous evening. The names of those composing the two new units for Uncle Sam's fighting forces follow:

Registrants for Takoma Park.

White registrants who went to Takoma Park include:

Board No. 1.—Frank Aloysius Kennedy, 315 H street; Rosolino Trocena, 1307 C street; Harry Irving DeLamater, Fort Williams, Ont.; Carlisle Osborn Wyvill, 202 D street; Joseph Arman Ryan, 921 Second street northwest; Joseph Bryan Little, 409 Twelfth street northeast; Albert Edward Jost, 303 Ninth street northwest; Robert Franklin Laiday, 225 H street; Harry H. Weinberger, New York City; David Raymond Luxen, 1019 Eighth street northwest; John Jeremiah Boyd, 212 First street northwest; John Barry Wallie, 71 H street; Joseph A. H. Smith, 1019 Tenth street northwest; Tucker, 914 I street northwest; Edwin Marcella Williamson, 735 Sixth street northwest; Charles Henry Schreyer, 1 Iowa Circle; Maurice Fielding, Windsor, Ontario, Can.; Robert John Smith, 1019 Tenth street northwest; Everett Vernon Staley, 518 New Jersey avenue; James Claude Casson, 907 Pennsylvania avenue northwest; Louis De Marco, 1404 Pennsylvania avenue northwest; Joseph A. H. Smith, 1019 Tenth street northwest; William B. Sullivan, Windsor, Ontario, Can.; James Yerkas Wilson, 505 Third street northwest.

Board No. 2.—Frank Kowanda, 1517 H street northwest; Charles Tracey Edwards, 918 New York avenue northwest; John Fred Hyams, 1203 Seventh street northwest; George Louis McKee, 1317 Tenth street northwest; Pryor, 828 Eighth street northwest; Summer Morris, 1114 Fifth street northwest; William Ruckdeschel, 817 L street northwest; George Ernest Jones, Wilmington, Del.; George Bernard Weiss, 245 Florida avenue northwest; Samuel Edward Blair, 937 Massachusetts avenue northwest; Thomas Blakley Kilcrease, 1515 K street northwest; Harry Carl H. Smith, 1019 Tenth street northwest; David Rufford, 1718 U street northwest; William Paul Dieste, 651 Morton street northwest; Robert T. Frankie, 1119 K street northwest; Esale John Besson, 1219 Fourteenth street northwest; Herbert Stoll, 1100 Eighth street northwest; Joseph A. Meisberg, 77 U street northwest; Charles Grover Graves, 1305 Tenth street northwest; Jesse Jackson, 1019 Tenth street northwest; Elmer R. Farich, 1124 Twelfth street northwest; Everett D. Green, 1516 Ninth street northwest; Walter Franklin King, 1210 North Capitol street, and John Silberman, 54 New York avenue northwest.

Board No. 3.—Samuel Ward, Cleveland, Ohio; Earl Western Angle, 918 Twenty-second street northwest; John Joseph McKenna, 1019 Tenth street northwest; Philander Chas. Knox, Jr., 1527 K street northwest; Frank Hjalmar Pietila, 633 H street northwest; Arthur Price Starr, 129 Randolph place northwest; Antonio Losado, 1038 Sixteenth street northwest; William Irving Ball, 27 K street northwest; Floyd Wagman Bond, Detroit, Mich.; Leroy Randolph Watkins, 1706 M street northwest; George Gardner Avers, 100 G street northwest; William John Dietz, 129 K street northwest; Benjamin R. Orr, Camden, N. J.; Richard Hal Coffren, 523 Twenty-first street; Samuel Oliver Livingston, Chicago, Ill.; Brock Wilard Royce, 1712 Pennsylvania avenue northwest; James Thornton Cross, 303 M street northwest; Stanislaw Gregory Neuman, 1402 Monroe street; Willard M. Kochenderfer, Hotel Lafayette.

Board No. 4.—James Vincent Girardi, 302 Third street northwest; Paul Leon Hurdie, 549 Pennsylvania avenue northwest; William Howard Canning, 1131 Madison avenue southwest; Joseph Earl Williams, 413 Ninth street southwest; Harry Rufus Stevens, 1323 C street southwest; Norman Wilson Brown, 1216 C street southwest; Leon Williams, 1211 Sixth street southwest; George Leroy Darling, 1303 C street southwest; Howard Hamden Jacobs, 608 Eighth street southwest; John Howard Taylor, 1019 Tenth street southwest; George Lyburn Farr, 513 Sixth street southwest; Earl Bernard Pruitt, 509 N street southwest; Samuel Fillmore Baker, 94 Virginia avenue southwest; William Howard Canning, 1131 Madison street southwest; Theodore Wagner, 351 Van street southwest; William Saunders Butler, 1323 C street southwest.

Board No. 5.—Clarence Berry, 50 Navy place southwest; William Francis Taylor, 146 L street southwest; Randolph McK. Lomax, 324 Kentucky avenue southeast; John Arthur Herbert, 41 K street southeast; Perry Duckett, 905 Second street southwest; Thomas W. Simms, 627 K street southwest; Ed J. Brooks, Philadelphia, Pa.; Walter T. Jones, 323 Tenth street southeast; James N. Dean, 1329 B street northeast; Joseph Briggs, 313 B street southeast; John P. Brown, 27 Half street southwest; William W. Lewis, 84 I street southwest; Leroy R. Trice, 93 A street southwest; Raymond E. Jenner, 104 K street southwest; P. V. Dorsey, 1224 C street southeast; James A. Colbert, 210 Thirtieth street southeast; Stephen G. Middleton, 1317 South Carolina avenue southeast; Ray V. Crook, 227 Tenth street southeast; Jesse T. Young, 301 L street southeast; E. F. Liverpool, 101 N street southeast; James A. Gray, 74 Twelve-and-a-half street southeast; George T. Taylor, 1019 Tenth street southeast; Robert H. Green, 110 Tenth street southeast; William Gray, 146 N street southeast; Samuel Elsay, 146 N street southeast; Clarence O. Dorsey, 304 Fourth street southeast; and William Chapman, 216 F street northeast.

Board No. 6.—Lewis Bowen Tracy, 301 Stanton place northeast; Lu For Lee Love, 1019 Tenth street northeast; Joseph Franklin Mattman, 1437 Kramer street northeast; Cornelius Joseph McFadden, 707 Twelfth street northeast; Earl Ray Ballard, 519 Second street northeast; James M. McFadden, 812 Eleventh street northeast; Montie McKennie Davis, 610 A street northeast; Robert Francis Morrison, 918 Seventh street northeast; Samuel Brooks, 1300 Emerson street, northeast; Donald Evans, 1035 Tenth street northeast; George William Short, 1423 F street northeast; Lewis Carlyle Palmer, 616 B street northeast; Andrew Aloysius Caffrey, 1020 Fourth street northeast; Robert Davidson, 516 Fourteenth street northeast; Robert Malry Spicer, 314 Ninth street northeast; Robert Israel Nevitt, 1226 C street northeast; William Edward McGill, 160 Tennessee avenue northeast; Cecil Charles Thompson, 409 M street northeast.

Board No. 7.—Albert Eugene McIntyre, 1718 Thirtieth street northeast; James Russell Adams, 2023 Volpe street northeast; John Newton Clark, 1019 Tenth street northeast.

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Board No. 11.—John Luther Moore, Hilldale, Anacostia; Robert Sterling Norman, 760 Division avenue northeast; Herbert Lockett, 21 Sumner road southeast; Philip Parker Douglas, road southeast; Anacostia; Charles Dudley, 1503 Vermont avenue; Wm. McKinley Edmonston, 1117 Sixteenth street northeast; Albert Carroll, 158 Douglas road southeast; James Robert Bell, 1400 L street southeast; Ernest Wright, 5310 Edg street northeast; Augustus Jones, Alabama avenue near Taylor road southeast.

Board No. 12.—John Hughes Lupton, 512 Potter street, Chester, Pa.; Edward George Fisher, 1008 Florida avenue northeast; Raymond A. F. Burke, 1105 Morris street northeast; Morris Herman Murray, 1247 Morse street northeast; George Vincent Mele, 3607 Benning road; Oliver Matthews Watson, 3022 Nevada avenue southeast; James McK. Newkirk, 313 Third street northeast; Benjamin Guy Carter, 1219 V street southeast; James Hunter Shumate, 2308 Nichols avenue, Anacostia; William Everett Velmeyer, 2001 Route street southeast; Olea Iris Gibbs, 210 Central avenue northeast.

Board No. 13.—Samuel Flood Chichester, 1019 Tenth street northeast; John Butler Gordon, 423 C street northwest; Joshua Dionysius Crossland, 51 Massachusetts avenue northwest; Maurice Peter Boswell, 48 DeForest street; William Henry Beasley, 56 DeForest street; Stephen Christian, 17 McCullough street; James Arthur Maynard, 606 K street northwest; Henry Courtney, 22 Dingham place; James Arthur Penn, 703 Washington street northeast; Norman Webster Lear, 311 Twelfth street northwest; Johnson Sidney Davis, 525 Missouri avenue northwest; Irving Daniel Proctor, 619 Massachusetts avenue northwest; Paul Raymond Tucker, New York, N. Y.; Nathan Waters, 1531 Covington street; Augustine Bernard Degan, 65 DeForest street; Earl Theophilus Robinson, 407 Four and a half street southwest.

Board No. 14.—Thomas L. Pryor, 947 T street northwest; Reuben S. Washington, 457 Browns court northwest; Samuel Smith, 94 Fenton street northeast; Robert A. Ruder, 906 N street northwest; William F. Smith, 5 Baltimore street northwest; Robert E. Brooks, 65 Pierce street northwest; Charles J. Lomax, 1623 Alpin street northwest; William Lipcom, 478 O street northwest; Benjamin Vincent, 419 Washington street northwest; Samuel A. Helm, 1419 Eleventh street northeast; John H. Queen, 710 Eleventh street northeast; De Witt P. Drew, 405 P street northwest; Edwin A. Taylor, 31 O street northeast; Charles W. H. Stevenson, 1128 First street northwest; John P. Downing, 43 Fenton street northeast; Andrew Tinney, Philadelphia, Pa.; John W. Miles, 1421 Columbia street northwest; George H. Ford, 405 P street northwest; Percy G. Wallace, 436 New avenue northwest; John T. Smith, 476 Ridge street northwest; Ernest Black, 1013 First street northwest.

VETERANS OF SPANISH WAR RENEW FEALTY

D. C. Branch Elects J. P. Webber Pres.

Charles J. P. Webber was elected commander of the United Spanish War Veterans of the District of Columbia, at the annual encampment of the organization held yesterday at Fort Myer. Members attending the encampment and voting numbered 101.

Out of an active membership of 1,250 men, 28 per cent are now in the army or navy, serving Uncle Sam against the Hun.

Of their oath of allegiance which they took on their entrance into the war against Spain in 1898, was taken by the delegates at the encampment. They pledged their "life and all my worldly goods to aid the President of our nation in directing the American forces with our allies to success in their grim and determined fight for freedom, patriotism and humanity, following the example set by us twenty years ago in behalf of the Republic of Cuba.

Appreciation of the many courtesies extended to entertain the organization by Secretary Daniels was expressed in another resolution adopted at the meeting. Secretary of Labor Wilson also was thanked in a resolution for the aid he has extended to dependents of men who fought in the Spanish-American war in securing positions.

Other officers elected yesterday were: Senior vice department commander, Robert E. Wood; Junior vice department commander, H. E. Coulter; department inspector, W. B. Dowling; department surgeon, M. L. Turner; department chaplain, H. Sweeney; department marshal, J. E. Wilson; de-

NAVY MEN WIN FIVE TEAM RIFLE CONTEST

In a match last night on the Eastern Rifle Range, the Naval Division team registered a score of 100 out of a possible 100 at slow and rapid fire.

The five teams competing, only the navy boys completed their score by midnight. Its membership and score at slow fire and rapid fire, respectively, follow: Walter R. Stokes, 98-98; F. Johnston, 100-95; O. M. Schriver, 100-99; Dr. Murphy, 97-96; Meek, 97-94; Taylor, 100-95; Dowling, 98-98; Andrews, 100-98.

Other teams competing in the match were composed of representatives from the Home Defense League Rifles, Washington Rifle Club, Central High School and Agricultural Department Rifle Club, each with eight men in a team.

Funeral of Carl Xander
In Charge of Masons

The funeral of Carl Xander took place from his home at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Rev. Mr. Schmidt, of the Lutheran Church at Sixth and P streets, conducted the services. The Masons had charge of the ceremonies. Mr. Xander was a prominent man in business circles and was also a thirty-second degree Mason.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful, as he was well known and beloved in this city. He is survived by five children—Carl Xander, Jr., Miss Amelia Xander, Mrs. Thomas Luckett, Mrs. Walter Baker of New York, Mrs. George Winans of Oklahoma City—four grandchildren and a brother, Jacob Xander.

Schoolboys Burn German Books.

Tarrytown, N. Y., June 15.—German text books were thrown into a pile and burned tonight by pupils of the North Tarrytown High School. Oil was poured upon the books and a match applied while a big crowd cheered.

SUGAR WORTH \$7,500 DESTROYED IN FIRE

Much of Damage at Seventh Street Store Done by Water.

Fire in the rear of the store of C. D. Kenny Company, 735 Seventh street northwest, yesterday afternoon destroyed sugar valued at \$7,500. Large quantities of stock in the store was damaged by the flames, smoke and water.

The fire was first discovered in the rear of the store. Before the arrival of the fire apparatus the flames had spread to a small wooden building behind the store which is used as a warehouse, where the sugar was kept.

Much of the damage to the sugar was caused by the water dousing it. Damage to the store was estimated at \$100.

Y.M.C.A. Girl Clerks Form Quartet; Sing to Soldiers

Five young women, all of them employed in the clerical force at the Washington Y. M. C. A. war work headquarters, have formed a quartet, and they are making a big hit in their musical programs for the soldiers camped near Washington.

The quartet is made up of Mrs. R. V. Boone, Miss Genevieve Polson, and Miss Anita Varborough, soprano; Miss Marguerite Cooper, alto; with Miss Marion Hardie as an accompanist. On their program also is Miss Laura Hardie, a reader of high ability.

Their engagements this week include appearances at Camp Humphreys and Washington Barracks.

SWISS SOCIETY MEETS.

The ladies' Swiss Society (Stauffercherin) held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. L. Gutmann, Congress Heights, last Sunday, when \$50 was donated to the Red Cross and \$20 to the International French-Swiss Land. The officers for this year are Mrs. M. L. Schmidt, president; Mrs. G. Gutmann, vice president; Mrs. F. Fugier, treasurer, and Miss C. Brosch, secretary.

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Handsome Queen Anne Dining Suite



A dance and entertainment given at the New Odd Fellows hall last night, under the auspices of the Patriotic League of Palais Royal girls, attracted a large attendance, and merry-making reigned supreme until after midnight.

The league is headed by Mrs. Marion Mattingly, and under her direction the following interesting program was carried out:

Cassius W. Darr: song, "Dance of Nations"; Miss G. Swank, Miss Miss Inga, Miss Margaret Kirby, Miss Violet Empey, and "Baby Swank"; patriotic songs, Privates John Kelly and Humphries, and chorus from Camp Meigs. Dancing followed.

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Mahogany Finish

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ASHLAR CLUB PLANS TRIP.

Arrangements have been made by the executive committee of the Ashlar Club of Master Masons so that the officers and members will leave Monday evening, June 17, on the 6:30 car, W. B. & A. for Baltimore, where they will be met by automobiles and taken to Holabird Camp, Y. M. C. A., for the purpose of installation of the new officers who represent the branch of the Ashlar Club there.

HARPOON GUN MADE FROM OLD RIFLE

Says Walter B. Raynor in Popular Mechanics: "A harpoon gun that I have made and used successfully for taking fish may be made from an old large-bore single-shot rifle. A light cylinder, 11-1/2 inches in diameter, is fastened with clips near the end of the barrel to hold a coiled line. The harpoon is then made and fastened with a swivel. The head of the harpoon should be hardened slightly, and is welded to the shaft after the swivel is in place. Blank cartridges, loaded with a heavy charge of black powder, are used to fire the harpoon, which for distances up to 25 feet has almost the accuracy of a bullet. Before using such a spear for spearing fish, one should determine whether or not the practice is legal in his particular State.

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